

# Assembly Journal

# Ninety-Ninth Regular Session

THURSDAY, April 30, 2009

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date:

# **ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

# **Assembly Clearinghouse Rule 09–017**

Relating to flammable, combustible, and hazardous liquids, and affecting small businesses.

Submitted by Department of Commerce.

Report received from Agency, April 22, 2009.

To committee on Natural Resources.

Referred on April 30, 2009.

# INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS

Read first time and referred:

#### **Assembly Bill 237**

Relating to: prohibiting the Department of Commerce from promulgating rules requiring registration of certain persons engaged in the construction business.

By Representatives Roth, Bies, Brooks, Gunderson, Gundrum, Honadel, Huebsch, LeMahieu, Lothian, Montgomery, Nass, Spanbauer, Townsend and Vos; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Harsdorf and Schultz.

To committee on Jobs, the Economy and Small Business.

# Assembly Bill 238

Relating to: determining eligibility of certain persons for Medical Assistance without consideration of a spouse's income or assets.

By Representatives Roth, Smith, Bies, Brooks, Gunderson, Kaufert, Lothian, A. Ott, Petersen, Spanbauer, Townsend and M. Williams; cosponsored by Senators Lassa, Olsen, Schultz and Taylor.

To committee on Children and Families.

#### **Assembly Bill 239**

Relating to: limiting a city's and village's use of direct annexation and authorizing limited town challenges to an annexation

By Representatives Jorgensen, Clark, Danou, Hilgenberg, Bies, Brooks, Gunderson, Kerkman, LeMahieu, A. Ott,

Petersen, Ripp, Roth, Townsend and Vos; cosponsored by Senators Holperin, A. Lasee and Schultz.

To committee on Renewable Energy and Rural Affairs.

## **Assembly Bill 240**

Relating to: making June 19, Juneteenth Day, a legal holiday.

By Representatives Grigsby, A. Williams, Fields, Young, Turner, Pasch, Zepnick, Mason, Parisi, Hebl, Berceau, Kessler, Cullen, Soletski, Jorgensen, Bernard Schaber, A. Ott and Toles; cosponsored by Senators Coggs, Sullivan, Taylor, Miller and Lassa.

To committee on **State Affairs and Homeland Security**.

# **Assembly Bill 241**

Relating to: retail theft, proof of ownership for flea market sales, and providing penalties.

By Representatives Danou, Turner, Jorgensen, Pasch, Kestell, Van Roy, Brooks, Lothian, Kerkman, Staskunas, A. Ott, Steinbrink, Zepnick, Kleefisch, Kaufert, Bies and Hebl; cosponsored by Senators Taylor, Sullivan, Kreitlow, Holperin, Lassa, Wirch, Harsdorf and Darling.

To committee on Criminal Justice.

# **Assembly Bill 242**

Relating to: the removal of nonconforming outdoor advertising signs.

By Representatives Staskunas, Fields, Friske, Gunderson, Honadel, Smith, Soletski, Spanbauer, Van Roy, Vos and Zepnick; cosponsored by Senators Kreitlow, Taylor, Grothman, Hansen, Kapanke, Leibham, Olsen and Plale.

To committee on **Transportation**.

#### **Assembly Bill 243**

Relating to: delaying the implementation date of the comprehensive planning statute for certain local governmental units.

By Representatives Hubler, Ziegelbauer, Berceau, Brooks, Mursau, Vruwink and Murtha; cosponsored by Senators Holperin, Schultz, Kreitlow and Vinehout.

To committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

#### **Assembly Bill 244**

Relating to: fines and terms of imprisonment for certain drunken driving offenses and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Zigmunt, Staskunas, Strachota and Barca; cosponsored by Senator Plale.

To committee on Public Safety.

## **Assembly Bill 245**

Relating to: service by a former member of the legislature as a lobbyist.

By Representatives Black, Clark, Brooks, Smith, Hilgenberg, Ziegelbauer, Berceau, Pope–Roberts, Hebl, Benedict, Bies and Pocan; cosponsored by Senators Lassa, Schultz, Lehman and Carpenter.

To committee on Judiciary and Ethics.

# **Assembly Bill 246**

Relating to: the use of automatic dialing announcing devices and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Black, Smith, Dexter, Clark, Hebl, Berceau, Pope–Roberts, Benedict, A. Williams and Hixson; cosponsored by Senators Holperin, Carpenter and Harsdorf.

To committee on Consumer Protection.

## **Assembly Bill 247**

Relating to: granting high school diplomas to certain veterans with service-connected disabilities.

By Representatives Milroy, Radcliffe, Barca, Berceau, Brooks, Benedict, Danou, Gunderson, Hebl, Hilgenberg, Petrowski, Nerison, Sheridan, Soletski, Spanbauer, Steinbrink, Strachota, Turner, A. Williams and Zepnick; cosponsored by Senators Hansen, Lehman, Schultz, Vinehout, Taylor, A. Lasee, Grothman and Coggs.

To committee on Education.

# **Assembly Bill 248**

Relating to: the possession and consumption of alcohol beverages on retail licensed premises in a park in a 1st class city.

By Representatives Young, Richards and Zepnick; cosponsored by Senator Coggs.

To committee on State Affairs and Homeland Security.

#### Assembly Bill 249

Relating to: deceptive election practices; voter intimidation, suppression, and protection; granting rule—making authority; and providing penalties.

By Representatives Young, Grigsby, A. Williams, Richards, Black, Roys, Jorgensen, Pasch, Mason, Pope–Roberts and Toles; cosponsored by Senators Coggs, Risser, Taylor and Hansen.

To committee on **Elections and Campaign Reform**.

# **Assembly Bill 250**

Relating to: regulation of persons who sell dogs or operate animal shelters or animal control facilities, granting rule-making authority, making an appropriation, and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Smith, Sinicki, Richards, Jorgensen, Dexter, Wood, Bernard Schaber, Pope–Roberts, Berceau, Barca, Pocan, Colon, Mason, Shilling, Sherman, Grigsby, Cullen, Seidel, Staskunas, Molepske Jr., Soletski, Honadel, Steinbrink, Van Roy, Van Akkeren, Pasch, Benedict, Turner, Black, Spanbauer, Zepnick, Schneider, Fields, J. Ott, A. Ott, Hilgenberg, Zigmunt, Young, Parisi, Gottlieb, Hebl, Roys, A. Williams, Montgomery, Hixson, Stone, Bies, Zipperer, Kestell, Davis and Pridemore; cosponsored by Senators Kreitlow, Darling, Taylor, Plale, Carpenter, Sullivan,

Holperin, S. Fitzgerald, Risser, Lehman, Cowles, Olsen, A. Lasee, Kanavas, Lassa, Hansen, Wirch, Kapanke, Coggs and Leibham.

To committee on **Consumer Protection**.

# **Assembly Bill 251**

Relating to: adding a member to the council on veterans programs.

By Representatives Hilgenberg, Colon, Pasch, Turner, Bies, Townsend, Berceau, Petrowski, Zepnick, Petersen, Sinicki, Lothian, Cullen, Spanbauer and Ripp; cosponsored by Senators Sullivan, Hansen, Taylor, Lassa, Carpenter and Coggs.

To committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

#### **Assembly Bill 252**

Relating to: prohibiting smoking in indoor areas, in sports arenas, and in public conveyances and providing a penalty.

By Representatives Richards, A. Ott, Seidel, Zigmunt, Milroy, Benedict, Parisi, Berceau, Black, Roys, Soletski, Gottlieb, Clark, Bernard Schaber, Mursau, Toles, Hilgenberg, Cullen, Sinicki, Townsend, Pope–Roberts, Smith, Pasch, Hintz, Spanbauer and Montgomery; cosponsored by Senators Risser, Ellis, Jauch, Miller, Darling, Robson and Coggs.

To committee on Health and Healthcare Reform.

## MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

From: Robert J. Marchant, Senate Chief Clerk.

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform you that the Senate has

Passed and asks concurrence in:

Senate Bill 91 Senate Bill 126

# ACTION ON THE SENATE MESSAGE

#### Senate Bill 91

Relating to: the use of cellular telephones and other devices while operating certain motor vehicles transporting children and providing a penalty.

By Senators Carpenter, Risser, Lehman, Olsen, Vinehout, Taylor and Hansen; cosponsored by Representatives Kerkman, Zepnick, Benedict, Townsend, Gunderson, Berceau, A. Ott, Pope–Roberts, Smith, Spanbauer, Honadel, Molepske Jr. and Ballweg.

To committee on **Transportation**.

#### Senate Bill 126

Relating to: changes to and extension of the Environmental Results Program, extension of the Environmental Improvement Program and the length of a compliance schedule under that program, and reporting requirements for certain environmental programs.

By Senators Miller, Kedzie, Harsdorf, Holperin, Cowles, Lehman, Risser, Plale, Taylor, Schultz, Erpenbach, Olsen and Lassa; cosponsored by Representatives Clark, Tauchen, Hebl, Berceau, Roys, Smith, Townsend, A. Ott, Molepske Jr., Richards, Pope–Roberts, Sinicki, Lothian, Bernard Schaber, Jorgensen, Ripp and Parisi.

To committee on Natural Resources.

# SPEAKER'S COMMUNICATIONS

April 30, 2009

Mr. Patrick Fuller Assembly Chief Clerk Risser Justice Center, Room 401 17 West Main Street Madison, Wisconsin 53703

Dear Chief Clerk Fuller:

Pursuant to Assembly Rule 42 (3)(c), I am withdrawing **Assembly Bill 236** from the Assembly Committee on Education and re-referring it to the Assembly Committee on Agriculture. I have the consent of Representative Sondy Pope-Roberts, chair of the Assembly Committee on Education, to take this action.

Thank you for your immediate attention to this referral.

Sincerely, MICHAEL J. SHERIDAN Assembly Speaker

# **COMMUNICATIONS**

April 29, 2009

Patrick Fuller Assembly Chief Clerk 17 West Main Street, Suite 401 Madison, WI 53703

Dear Patrick:

I am pleased to transmit to you the following reports to the 2009 Legislature on legislation introduced by the Joint Legislative Council:

- RL 2009–02 Special Committee on Differences in Laws Applicable to Cities and Villages [2009 Assembly Bill 213]
- RL 2009–04 Special Committee on State-Tribal Relations [2009 Senate Bill 146 and 2009 Assembly Bill 210; 2009 Senate Bill 147 and 2009 Assembly Bill 211; and 2009 Senate Bill 148 and 2009 Assembly Bill 212]

I would appreciate your including this letter in the Journal for the information of the membership. Additional copies of these reports are available at the Legislative Council Staff offices, One East Main, Suite 401, or from our web page at http://www.legis.state.wi.us/lc.

> Sincerely, TERRY C. ANDERSON Joint Legislative Council Director